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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified patent application are the following:

- Amendment in response to an Office Action mailed September 22, 2006; and
- A new fee as calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Number Extra	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fees
Total Claims	24	Minus	24	0	× \$50	\$0
Indep. Claims	7	Minus	3	4	× \$200	\$800.00
[No] First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					0 × \$360	\$0
					Extension Fee	\$0
					Other Fees	\$0
Total Additional Fee for this Admendment						\$800.00


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Please charge to Deposit Account 19-2179 the sum of \$800.00. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 19-2179 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated Sept. 22, 2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

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